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NOTE FOR:

Attached is a report on the impact of FOIA on CIA. It is based largely on your memorandum to the PRM/NSC Subcommittee. Ernie Mayerfeld has already reviewed it, but I wanted to run it through you personally.

George L. Cary  
Legislative Counsel

15 APR 1977

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TO : Mr. Cary

DATE OF REQUEST

FROM :  18 APR 1977

SUSPENSE DATE

SUBJECT:

NOTES

Attached is the long awaited letter to our oversight committees on the FOIA problem.  reviewed this in draft and approved it. However, he did recommend that we include some indication of the kind of legislative relief we are contemplating, rather than merely stating a problem without giving an indication of a solution. Accordingly,  came up with the language that is in the last paragraph of the enclosure on page 5. This raises the question whether this letter technically should be cleared with OMB. I asked  whether he thought this would mean we would have to clear the letter with OMB and he did not say no but he did not say yes either. I think if we sent this through OMB it will never go anywhere and I do not think that the language in the last paragraph of the enclosure goes into such detail that it should be cleared with OMB.

This package has been coordinated with OGC and DDA but as you can see I am routing it through Tony Lapham for his chop and I have a note from you to him.

*Good approach  
What happened to our bill on FOIA  
Congressional contact problem?*

COORDINATED WITH (list names as well as offices)

NAME	Ernie Mayerfeld	OFFICE	OGC	DATE
NAME	Hal Bean	OFFICE	DDA	DATE
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ACTION REQUIRED BY GLC

Signature on pink routing sheet to Admiral Turner and on note to

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TO: Legislative Counsel		
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REMARKS:		
IN		
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Tony puts us back to square one let's drop the beam- minded language + put a rotating sheet not why we didn't include it		
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WHICH MAY BE USED.

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A GOOD LESSON IN DOL'S  
COMMENTS (FOR ORC) and  
for you in looking at  
lozfer, transmitting longer  
blind notes.

② <sup>De</sup> Leg Counsel  
Action, p. 1

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